

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
IN THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

ERIC C. GRIMM,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 17-cv-654

Hon. Gordon J. Quist

RAW STORY MEDIA, INC., THE HERALD PUBLISHING COMPANY, LLC, MLIVE MEDIA GROUP, F/K/A BOOTH NEWSPAPERS, INC., NEWSLO, STEPHEN KLOOSTERMAN, KEVIN EVEN, PAUL SHIBLEY, BRIANNA SCOTT, DAVID BOSSENBROEK, MATT J. ROBERTS, DAVID SHAFER, BARTON DIETERS, GREGORY C. PITTMAN, WILLIAMS/HUGHES, PLLC, DOUGLAS HUGHES, THEODORE N. WILLIAMS, JR., TIMOTHY HICKS, WILLIAM MARIETTI, KATHY HOOGSTRA, ROBERT CARTER, RAYMOND KOSTRZEWA, LINNEA KOSTRZEWA, MARK T. BOONSTRA, NEIL MULLALLY, VICKI BROGE, AND THE COUNTY OF MUSKEGON,

Defendants.

**DEFENDANT THE HERALD
PUBLISHING COMPANY, LLC'S
RULE 7.1 DISCLOSURE OF
CORPORATE AFFILIATIONS AND
FINANCIAL INTEREST**

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Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 7.1, Defendant The Herald Publishing Company, LLC (the "The Herald")¹, files this statement of disclosure of corporate affiliations and interest.

The Herald makes the following disclosure:

1. Is said corporate party a subsidiary or affiliate of a publicly owned corporation?

 YES X NO

If the answer is yes, list below the identity of the parent corporation or affiliate and the relationship between it and the named party.

N/A

2. Is there a publicly owned corporation or its affiliate, not a party to the case, that has a substantial financial interest in the outcome of the litigation?

 YES X NO

Respectfully submitted,

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